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NEW YORK MILLS CONCERT

The Musical Clubs made their bow for the season on Wednesday evening in the Walcott Memorial Church at New York Mills, before a fair-sized audience of representative people. The program given was as follows:

1. "Mulligan's Musketeers," Glee Club; 2. Selection from "The Three Twins," Mandolin Club; 3. "Love's Dilemma," Mr. Hastings and Mandolin Quintette; 4. "An Old Rat's Tale," Glee Club; 5. "Shoulder Straps," Mandolin Club; (Monologue, by Mr. Woollcott) 6. "The Vagabond," Mr. Sarles; 7. "The Devil's Patrol," Mandolin Club; 8. Quartette, Messrs. Hastings, Gouge, Sarles and Allen; 9. "1908 Campus Medley," Glee Club; 10. "Carissima," Glee Club.

Considering the early stage of their development, the Clubs performed remarkably well, reflecting great credit upon the leaders for their judgment in selecting numbers as well as for the efficiency of their drill. The Glee Club bids fair to maintain the standard of last season's trips, and the Instrumental Club is much better than we have heard it at any previous initial concert. Age has not wither'd nor custom staled the infinite variety of Hastings and Sarles, tho both were handicapped by the erratic pitch of the local piano.

The Quartet still shows many rough edges, but on the whole is very, very good, and as usual received more appreciation than any other feature on the program. Appreciation, however, was rather lethargic thruout the evening, due, perhaps, to the awe-inspiring decorum inherent in churches. Particularly was this evident during Mr. Woollcott's monologue, which is excellent, and should win him "a hand" for his subtle finesse in manner and delivery, and for the effective management of his make-up, if the matter itself were extremely unpromising instead of being very ingenious satire.

If suggestions were invited, we should say to Mr. Leavenworth that a little better organization would improve the effect of his cohorts in responding to the signal "sit." To Mr. Smyth we might remark that practice should make the Glee men adept in coming on the stage and forming the circle under *any* conditions of platform and entrance. To both gentlemen we recommend experiment before the mirror in leading with the nod; determination and assurance would benefit both their appearance and the results. To the Quartet we suggest that spontaneous "by-play," unless very, very good, is likely to fall flat. To Mr. Sarles—albeit timorously—we venture the opinion that a different management in breathing would color and sustain his solo, "The Vagabond." But for all concerned our final word is praise; their efforts promise well.

EXAM. WEEK.

The schedule for the College Examinations for the First Term, 1908-1909, is posted in the Library and reads as follows:

December 11—Friday, 9 A. M.—Seniors, Finance, Latin; Juniors, Psychology; Sophomores, French, L. S.; Freshmen, Composition. 1:30 P. M.—Seniors, French, Romance Philology.

December 12—Saturday, 9 A. M.—Seniors, German; Juniors, German, L. S., Biology; Sophomores, Biology, L. S.; Freshmen, Outlines of History, Greek (Ex. Hall). 1:30 P. M.—Seniors, Physics, History of Philosophy; Juniors, Physics; Sophomores, German, I.

December 14—Monday, 9 A. M.—Seniors, American History; Juniors, Sociology, Latin; Freshmen, French (Ex. Hall). 1:30 P. M.—Sophomores, Latin.

December 15—Tuesday, 9 A. M.—Seniors, Spanish, Bacteriology; Juniors, Spanish, Bacteriology; Sophomores, Composition; Freshmen, Latin. 1:30 P. M.—Seniors, English Literature, German Phonology; Juniors, German, cl., Mineralogy; Sophomores, German, L. S.

December 16—Wednesday, 9 A. M.—Seniors, Ethics; Juniors, Calculus, Old and Middle English, Greek; Sophomores, Mathematics; Freshmen, Elocution. 1:30 P. M.—Juniors, French.

December 17—Thursday, 9 A. M.—Seniors, Geology, Mathematics, Hebrew; Juniors, American History; Sophomores, Greek; Freshmen, Mathematics. 1:30 P. M.—Seniors, Greek; Juniors, Chemistry; Sophomores, Chemistry.

December 18—Friday, 9 A. M.—Seniors, History of Education, Chemistry; Juniors, Debate; Sophomores, Studies of the Apostle Paul; Freshmen, The Epistle of James.

ADVISORY BOARD

The annual meeting of the Advisory Board was held Monday. The following nominations were made, which will be voted upon at the College meeting today:

President, Prof. Miller; Vice President, Prof. Lewis; Treasurer, Prof. Brown; Secretary, Barber, '10; Football Manager, Burns, '10; Assistant Managers, Gouge, '11, Riley, '11; Sophomore Representatives, Colson, Getman; Freshman Representative, Drummond.

Football "H's" were awarded to the

following:

Capt. Thomas, Welch, Roenke, Marriott, '09; Leavenworth, Glover, Baldwin, Harper, Wheeler, '10; Sidle, Wisehart, Getman, Mitchell, '11; Drummond, MacGovern, Bell, '12.

It was voted to instruct the delegate to the N. Y. S. I. A. U. to move an amendment to the effect that no man who has entered from some other college shall be eligible to compete on any team until a year has elapsed from his time of entrance.

The Football Manager was authorized to re-engage Pryor as coach at a price not to exceed $800, and on the proviso that before such engagement shall be made at least $250 shall have been paid into the treasury as extraordinary subscription. The Interscholastic Committee was appointed to be: Butler, '09, chairman; Spencer, '09, Renwick, '10, and Martin, '11. The Baseball Manager was authorized to engage a coach at a figure not to exceed $120 and the Track Manager the same. The Basketball Manager was empowered to expend not more than $50 on a coach. It was decided to hold a Gym. Show in Utica during the winter, the proceeds of which shall go to the electric lighting of the Gymnasium. The Basketball Manager was authorized to contract for this installation immediately.

LIT. CRITIQUE

The November *Lit.* begins with a poem by "R. H. T., '09." This seems to be a habit. It is a very good habit, for anyone with a good memory is thus enabled to find it at once. Then, if he is a person of a curious turn of mind, with a natural delight in solving puzzles, he is assured of a pleasant and innocent diversion for the entire afternoon. "The Castle of Unrest" is about a castle, a castle on the sea-shore, possibly at Coney Island. It is getting along in the afternoon, and there seems to be a shower coming up. The observer seems to be quite dissatisfied with the landscape; possibly all the hot-dog vendors have scented the shower and disappeared, or perhaps he has no umbrella. If it were not for the castle anyone would say at once that it was a "seascape," painted by a sea-sick artist, but while a castle is a very excellent institution on the sea-shore, even if it has a tendency to "rear," you couldn't have it out at sea, and there's the castle right in the title, so, of course, there has to be one in the poem, too, or the readers would be disappointed. So there you are.

"A Nocturne of Chopin" is a rather disagreeable and improbable tale told in a clever fashion by H. E. D., '10. The loon laughs mechanically at the proper intervals, with an unselfish disregard for its own inclination and sense of humor.

The series of letters, "Travels With a Donkey," by S. A. Sherwin, '10, promise to be well worth reading. Letter No. 1 is bright and well written. They have the savor of actual letters. It is to be hoped, however, that letter No. 2 will quickly follow the first and will disperse the anxiety which No. 1 was sure to rouse in "Mither's" mind; otherwise the writer is sure to be recalled at once to be recuperated on mince pie and jam, and we would have to depend on the donkey for the rest of the letters, which would be a sad disappointment.

The Campus Ode by H. E. D., '10, seems to the "Critiquer" to be the best thing in the *Lit.* It is full of the wholesome breath of our College and it sounds like pretty good verse, too. There are, doubtless, many who would be glad to have a copy of these Campus Odes where they could get at them without going thru the back files of the Lit., but perhaps that is impossible.

Chapter II of "Even As You And I" did not prove greatly interesting, possibly because of complete ignorance as to the preceding chapter, except such knowledge as could be gained from the meagre synopsis, but there is a lurking suspicion that the lack of interest was due to the leisurely progress of the story, and because the characters give one the impression that they act only when strings are pulled.

"Unjust Deserts," by E. P. Glover, '10, is a story on a rather worn-out subject told in a fashion not at all original.

"The Spectral Spectator" is distinctly spectral—or rather indistinctly spectral. His vagueness and ability to flit swiftly and abruptly are truly supernatural.

However, the *Lit.* is a great improvement on the paper of two years ago.

R. B. Peck, '07.

The Sun, New York City.

TODAY'S NOMINATIONS

The following is the official ballot to be voted upon at the meeting of the College body today. Life prints it that the students may give the nominations advanced consideration.

President, Prof. Miller.

Vice-President, Prof. Lewis.

Secretary, Barber, '10.

Treasurer, Prof. Brown.

Sophomore Representative, Getman or Colson, '11.

Freshman Representative, Drummond, '12.

Manager Tennis, Wallace or A. S. Evans, '09.

Manager Football, Burns, '10.

Assistant Manager, Gouge or Riley.

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F. H. Cookinham, '01.
R. U. Sherman, '05.
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LIFE COMPETITION

The standing for the Life Competition up to and including November 11 is as follows: Hopkins, Bagg, Bates, Drummond, Connell, Warren. The three leaders are within one hundred and fifty points of each other. Hereafter the standing will be published every two weeks or oftener.

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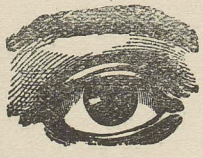

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THE FOOTBALL SUPPLEMENT, in this issue, is thus late thru the unavoidable delay in having taken the team picture. The "critique" is the work of one man and must be judged accordingly, and with the realization that accuracy in such criticism is well-nigh impossible. This issue will be the last of this term.

IN THIS ISSUE IS PRINTED A LETTER from Bramley, '06, ex-Captain of the Football team. The communication is elicited by, and relates to, the recently published letter of R. C. L. Drummond, '01. Of the two letters, LIFE ventures to prefer Bramley's. We agree that postmortems of the excuse brand are invidious. We owe it, out of justice to Colgate, to state that the imputations voiced in Mr. Drummond's letter do not accurately reflect the sentiment of the College. Rumors of course, have been afloat to the effect that Colgate has employed questionable tactics in her athletics. But Hamilton herself has not been exempt from such suggestions. Of course, we know the baselessness of the latter rumors. But have we ever legally proved any of the accusations cast against Colgate? We have not and, to all prospects, cannot. We, ourselves, may be convinced, whether the conviction is founded or unfounded. But that does not justify our crying out imputations after a game has been lost, and lost under officials appointed by the Central Board. The conviction *might* justify a cessation of relations. But the only indisputable fact is that Colgate has been out of our class, and this fact, unquestionably, justifies—yes, demands—her relegation to a minor position on our schedule. This is being done.

LIFE IS AWARE that it enjoys no exemption from criticism. But it pleases the publication to think that such is the case thru matter of course, and not exception. However, we ask a favor. Will the men who have adverse opinions, kindly offer them for publication. We have shown thus far that they shall be printed, and if printed they will not only do us good but will help approach an accurate reflection of College opinion. LIFE has always contained fewer communications than other publications, and fewer than is desirable.

FOOTBALL CAPTAIN

At a meeting of the Football Team held in the Hall of Languages on Monday afternoon Loyal E. Leavenworth, 1910, of Cleveland, Ohio, was elected Captain of the team for the season of 1909. Before entering Hamilton he played halfback on the Cleveland Central High School team, and for the past three seasons has played end on the Varsity. While hardly sensational, his playing has been steady and consistent. He has a thoro knowledge of the game and is eminently competent and deserving of the captaincy.

Y. M. C. A.

Last Sunday afternoon Leavenworth, '10, Day, '11, and Clark, '12, gave a brief report of the State Convention of Student Volunteers. This was followed by remarks from the other delegates. The reports showed us that our Association is sadly deficient in missionary zeal and activity. But we are sure that this is not because of a lack of an interesting course in mission study. For 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon a good concise program is arranged upon the topic, "Confucianism." Let us broaden our view of the world and of men and at the same time better our record for attendance and enthusiasm.

The Freshmen will meet with Leavenworth at 3 o'clock for their usual hour of study. The life of Jesus certainly presents some very live and practical themes for sober discussion.

At the regular afternoon meeting at 4 o'clock the College is invited to come and listen to an outline of our vicinity work. Thru these columns we have given notice, from time to time, of different appointments met thru the efforts of our special committee. For several years past this part of our Association work has been neglected, but this fall it has taken on a new lease of life and results show a firm basis upon which to continue operations. Our Utica Italian mission work will claim an especial interest for us all.

Last Sunday evening in Stone Church Chapel over fifty people came to hear Martin, '11, give his address on Mormonism. The usual attendance at the Y. P. S. C. E. meetings there is small. We should help the Clinton churches more. This is a start in the right direction. Such services are their own reply to the question, "Does it pay?"

Oklahoma City, Okla,
December 1st, 1908.

To the Editor of LIFE—

Across a considerable expanse of our fair country, which has somewhat cooled its fiery message, LIFE has just come. And, notwithstanding the distance, I can feel the heat of Dick Drummond's hot shot. After the event is past, however, it seems to me hardly the time to come out with such a denunciation, or at least make our official

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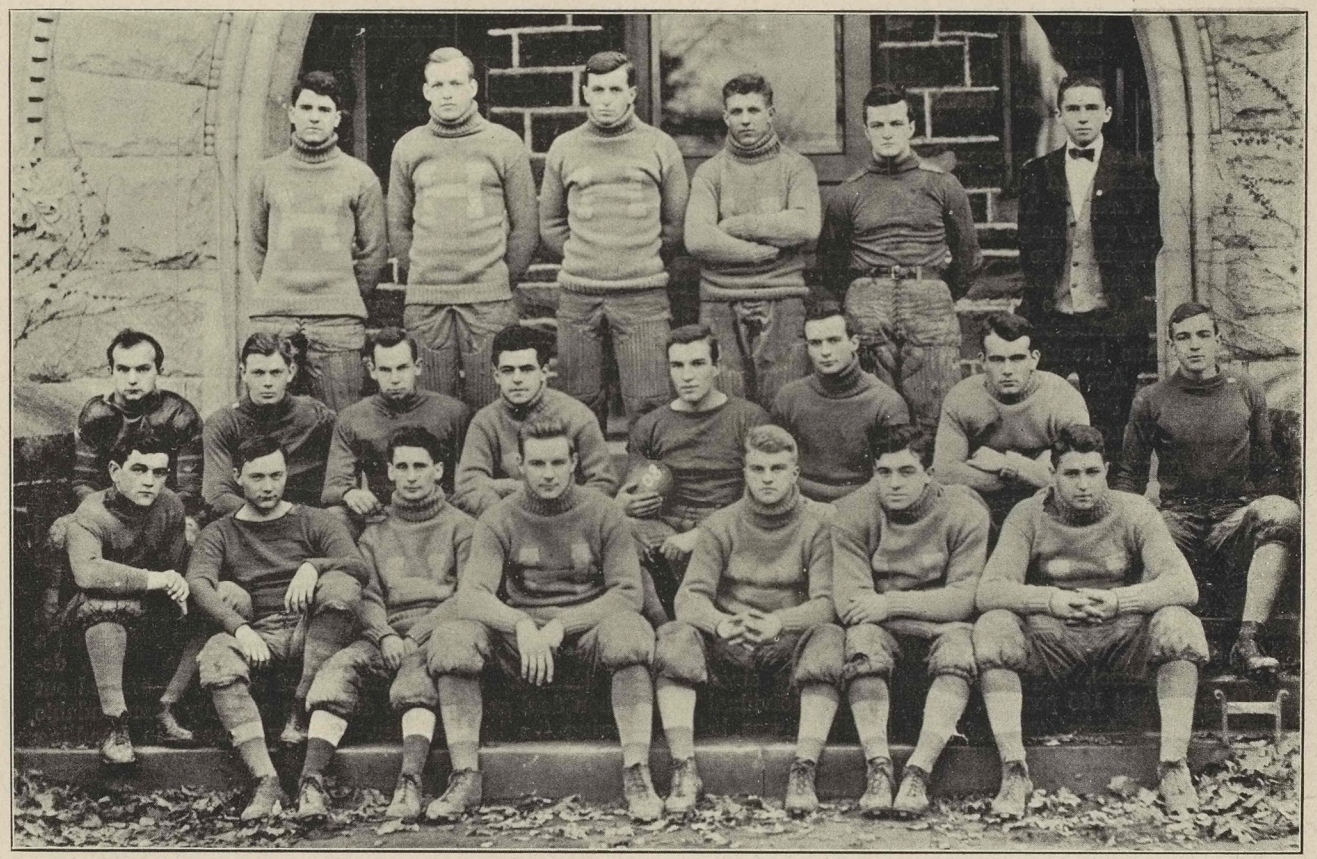

THE SEASON

Taken outside their settings and attendant conditions and judged solely by cold scores, the contests in the Football season of 1908 offered rather slight excuse for eulogy. Admitting that such is the manner in which the world observes our record, we protest that a football game can be judged by itself no more than any human activity. In every game, except perhaps the Rochester and R. P. I. games, the team far exceeded our own normal expectation and, almost, their own normal ability. Outweighed with varying immensity in every game, the fight was invariably with us as long as the opposing weight did not tell. Our first two games were especially phenomenal. In the first half of the first collegiate game, we played Syracuse—the heaviest team in the country—off their feet. Our defense was such that, in spite of their weight, Syracuse had to resort to strategic football for their sixteen points. Cornell's eleven points, on the other hand, were made solely by Walder's punting and Hamilton's consequent two fumbles. In the Rochester game we developed the habit of missing victories by a yard. The Yellow's five points were made thru the lack of experience on the part of one of our ends. Union, tho we beat them in the touchdown department, made the score 18 to 6 by the phenomenal place-kicking of Brown. The R. P. I. game was the one of which we are least proud. Their fifteen points came thru a demoralization on the part of the regulars and of the substitutes who constituted the Varsity in the latter half. Rutgers beat us 5-4, but the man who knows the story of that game knows that our demeanor won us more permanent fame and respect than the most overwhelming victory could have. We defeated St. Lawrence 5-0 in a game where we had the ascendency thruout. Colgate defeated us 22-0 all in the second half. Considering the respective weights, and the records of the two teams, Colgate could not rejoice at their showing in total. Considering that fact, we have some grounds for satisfaction.

CoachPryor as a coach was uncriticized. Whatever his mistakes, they were inevitable, and next year will be impossible.

In reviewing individually any football team, the critic is hampered in finding a fair vantage point from which to judge, Could he be omniscient, motive and intention would affect his judgment, were he a coach he would ask for nothing but the results. Being neither, the present critic will try to keep to the safe path of technical comment.

J. D. PRYOR COACH

Captain THOMAS, '09, prepared at Utica Free Academy and played guard on last year's Varsity. This year he played thru every scrimmage and game at center, and inspired the team by his cool steadiness and indomitable persistence. In the Colgate game he repeatedly threw Hollenback into the quarterback, thus breaking up many of their plays. Age 19, height 5 ft. 8 in., weight 152 pounds.

PHILIP H. WELCH, '09, right half, while not consistently up to his best form in years past, played the game for all that was in him. He was brilliant in running the ends, and often the only back who could gain consistently. His weak wrist spoiled his catching of punts and tackling, but he ran well with the ball when once free of the line. Prepared at Cornwall Heights School. Age 20, height 5 ft. 10 in., weight 145 pounds.

HENRY M. ROENKE, '09, left end, prepared at Geneva High School. His Basketball experience made him expert in receiving long forward passes, but his general defense was weak and he covered punts poorly. Age 21, height 5 ft. 10½ in., weight 141 pounds.

W. A. MARRIOTT, '09, sub-half, prepared at Clayville High School. He played guard last year on the Scrub, and the consequent lack of experience behind the line was a great handicap. He played, however, a creditable and plucky game. Age 21, height 5 ft. 10 in., weight 150 pounds.

C. E. LEAVENWORTH, '09, sub-end, was unfortunate in being just a shade behind the regular ends in all-around form. His pluck and self-sacrifice in supporting the team by hard work during his whole College course will not soon be forgotten. Prepared at Cleveland High School. Age 21, height 5 ft. 9 in., weight 140 pounds.

It was late in the season before FISKE '10, began to play in earnest but when he did he showed ability. He charges well and plays a first-class all-around game. Entered from Rochester, Sophomore year. Age 22, height 6 ft., weight 183 pounds.

When in good physical trim, BALDWIN, '10, plays a remarkable game, as he showed when he tackled the All-American tackles of Cornell and Syracuse. These two games, however, so used him up that he could not do himself justice during the rest of the season. Age 21, height 6 ft., weight 155 pounds. Prepared at Poly. Prep.

LEAVENWORTH, '10, right end, played his usual steady game and was especially strong on the offense, both in handling the forward pass and in the formations. He was a trifle weak in covering punts. Prepared at Cleveland High School. Age 19, height 5 ft. 9 in., weight 154 pounds.

WHEELER, '10, was one of the most useful players on the squad. He could be relied upon to take care of halfback or any of the line positions in dependable style His punting was also good. Prepared at Clinton Preparatory School. Subcenter last year. Age 19, height 5 ft. 11 inches, weight 157 lbs.

THOMAS, '09, CAPTAIN

HARPER, '10, sub-quarter, has been steadily improving since entering College. A better individual player than field general: he was better carrying the ball than on defense. Prepared at Clinton Preparatory School. Age 18, height 5 ft. 9 in., weight 154 pounds.

EDMUND P. GLOVER, '10, left guard. Prepared at Gunnery, Washington, Conn. His style is of the most versatile type. As a tackling line man he was so proficient that he was moved to the secondary defense, where he played with remarkable efficiency in the Colgate game. Age 21, height 5 ft. 7 in., weight 170 pounds.

SIDLE, '11, left halfback, was sure to do stellar work as long as he could stay in the game. His absence always made a difference. Impregnable on defense, he could also run the ends as well as hit the line. Prepared at Peekskill Military Academy. Age 20, height 5 ft. 8½ in., weight 152 pounds.

ROBERT MITCHELL, '11, sub-fullback, was unfortunate in having trouble during most of the season with his knee and shoulder. His defense was very fair and at times he showed considerable ability in line-plunging. Prepared at Auburn High School. Age 20, height 5 ft. 11 in., weight 152 lbs.

GETMAN, '11, played a plucky, consistent game at fullback. A tendency to hit the line a little too high and slow was his worst fault. Prepared at Oneonta High School. Age 20, height 5 ft. 11 in., weight 153 pounds.

KARL WISEHART, '11, played at right guard an earnest and efficient game. He improved consistently thru the season, and put up a strong exhibition against Colgate. Prepared at Lurchinson Seminary. Age 19, height 6 ft., weight 175 pounds.

A bad ankle came at just the wrong time for JONES, '11, sub-halfback. We expect to see him at the front next year. He has plenty of ability, but is a trifle slow for a halfback. Prepared at Gouverneur High School. Age 19, height 5 ft. 8 in., weight 157 pounds.

Among the Freshmen, DRUMMOND, right tackle, easily stands first. His play was strong, experienced and clever. He should develop in endurance as he grows older. His punting and drop-kicking was a strong factor in every game. Prepared at Auburn High School. Age 19, height 6 ft., weight 182 pounds.

GEORGE ALLEN BELL, '12, sub-half, Altho light, was speedy and skillful, both on offense and defense. Prepared at Holbrook School. Age 20, height 5 ft. 8 in., weight 145 pounds.

MCGOVERN, '12, quarterback, was the smallest man who has played on a Hamilton team for years. Yet, despite his lack of weight, he carried out all his duties in a highly commendable manner. He was weak in handling punts, and his judgment in running the team was rarely brilliant. But these things can be improved. Prepared at Lowville Academy. Age 20, height 5 ft. 7 in., weight 128 pounds.

Other men on the squad are KNOX, who was playing a brilliant game until injured in practice, and WATKINS, Walker, Watkin, Thomas, Peters, Thompson, and W. Clark, all of the Freshman class. Among the Sophomores, Martin, Burdick, and Colson are good men, while Hastings rounds out the Junior delegation. Nor is any mention of Football complete without "Hap" Osborn and Abbott, '10, two men who, altho they can no longer don football togs, are real players from start to finish.

A. OSBORN, 09, MANAGER

mouthpiece the bearer of it. If evils were known to exist in the Colgate team before the game, and it was considered the sportsmanlike thing to pass them over, then many times more important is it that we remain silent now.

The suggestion to secure protection against an incompetent official is good advice, but Dick's wrath left his judgment a-trail when, in his mind, he saw the milling of the game again, and he gave vent to a description of the Colgate team that it would be better had LIFE omitted. If the facts are as Dick states them, should we not speak beforehand hereafter, and if that is ineffectual, an agreement to disagree for a few seasons might smooth things.

At all events, don't let us plead that we are innocent children at the mercy of bad boys. The fight made by the team shows that the finest sort of courage and manliness lay beneath the canvass suits of our *men,* and that they are of the same kind of stuff, if not the quantity, as the Hamilton teams who won championships.

Hard words only cheapen us and give us cause for regret. Forewarned, we should be forearmed in the future.

Sincerely,
H. C. BRAMLEY, 1906.

THE PROM.

It is well-known that Hamilton stands first and foremost for a certain clean-cut success in all activities. Nor can it be a secret from anyone that this depends often upon the same men supporting many different kinds of organizations. No detail will be spared to make the coming Junior Prom. of February 11 to 13 the greatest and best prom. of the century. If the committee had the power of divining future innovations there would be none left for later classes. The Gym., for instance, is to be lighted by electricity, and it is hoped this innovation will be permanent. It is hoped to set a new record in the excellence of the music, and negotiations with two orchestras in Albany are already under way. Something unique in the scheme of decorations may also be expected. A booth for those men who ordinarily would have none will be provided, if enough of them signify their intention of attending. The programs and refreshments will be enforced wherever possible, and great care will be taken to insure perfect service. In the decorations, and almost every other detail, the electric lights are expected to add greatly. The Junior Class needs our support and has a right to expect it. They have most generously supported every other class and should not fail of support in this. They have planned on a generous scale and it is for the College to back them up. Give *her* an invitation for a Christmas present.

—The Senior Class has chosen as its debaters Wallace, Marriott, Rifenbark and Truax, and A. F. Osborn alternate. They are now engaged in selecting a question to be submitted to the Junior Team, which will then have the option of sides. Dr. Stryker has in charge the Senior debate work, while Prof. Lewis is devoting the present term to a course in argumentation with the Juniors. Dr. Squires has particular supervision of the Senior Team for the interclass debate, which will occur early in January. These teams include much of the best argumentative ability in College and should furnish an interesting contest.

—The young ladies of the Stone Church gave a College Fair this week and Hamilton colors were much in evidence and were accorded a place of honor.

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HILL NOTES

—The suit-case war is on! Freshmen drew first blood.

—Moore, ex-'09, is coaching the Albany High School Basketball Team.

—Alumni on the Hill this week: Scovel, '96; Bailey, ex-'05; Kuolt, '07; Cody, '08; Ross, '08.

—Prof. Lewis and his family have moved into the Metcalf home on Williams street.

—Rev. L. C. Colson held a reception for the Glee and Instrumental Clubs after the concert Wednesday.

—Football and class pictures are now on sale at Gibbons'. The price is one dollar.

—The Musical Club picture will be taken today at 3 o'clock at Frey's, Utica. Everybody please be prompt.

—The Junior Class set-ups and the Football set-ups are posted at Van Slyke's.

—Prof. Ebeling entertained the Sophomore Greek Class last Saturday evening.

—Goss Stryker, '01, has returned to Fort Riley, Kansas, after a long stay on the Hill.

—In the absence of Dr. Stryker, the pulpit was supplied Sunday by Prof. Ibbotson.

—Burdick, '11, and Anibal, '11, are out for the Assistant Managership of the Musical Clubs.

—Prof. Squires delivered a lecture before the Teachers' Institute at New Hartford this week.

—Today will be the last Senior Chapel. Appropriate farewell addresses will be given.

—The Hamiltonian Board picture will be taken at Frey's today immediately after Musical Club.

—Drummond, '12, has reported back this week after a several days' absence at his home in Auburn.

—The Football Management has been authorized to provide Football "H" hats for the H men of this year.

—Manager Renwick is considering an invitation to enter the indoor relay team in the Columbia games, Feb. 14.

—The Freshman Basketball Team has not yet organized beyond electing Reagin manager, but will do so in the near future.

—The Press Club has commenced activities and a large number of cards have been printed prior to their being sent abroad.

—The Blue Book "trade ads." on Mahady, King, Broadbent, VanSlyke and other merchants may be procured from Knox, '10.

—Arrangements are being made for a meet between Trinity, Union and Hamilton for May 29th, but nothing final has been reached as yet.

—Last Monday the Sophomore Basketball Team met and elected Getman captain. They expect to develop a strong team.

—Every Freshman is especially urged to attend the Freshman Bible Class this Sunday. It is the last meeting of the term and a large number is desired.

—The 'Varsity Basketball squad at present consists of: Roenke, Conklin, '09; Sherwin, '10; Getman, Allen, '11; Regan, '12. There will be no daily practice until next term.

—For Saturday Chapel, next term, the Freshmen will not meet together in the Chapel as usual, but will report in the Hall of Philosophy, where essays will be read.

—On Tuesday evening, November 23d, at Washington, D. C., Miss Clarissa B. Tufts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Tufts, was married to Clayton L. Jenks, '06. They will make an extended trip and will be at home after January 1st.

—The Football picture was taken Monday at 1:30 on the steps of the Hall of Languages. The following were in the picture: Capt. Thomas, Roenke, Welch, Marriott, '09; Glover, Leavenworth, Fisk, Harper, Wheeler, Baldwin, '10; Sidle, Wisehart, Mitchell, Jones, Getman, '11; Drummond, Bell, MacGovern, W. F. Clark, Knox, '12.

—When Dr. Stryker was consulted on the lighting of the Gym. with electricity not only for the Junior Prom. but hereafter, he stated that he would allow no permanent lighting to be put in. But this he did say, and may he be correct, that *within two years Hamilton College will have a new Gym!* No further plans have been publicly announced, but a new building is assured.

—On November 21, at the Yates Hotel in Syracuse, the managers of the football and baseball teams of the various colleges in the league met to confer about dates for games. Burns, '10, and Wheeler, '10, represented Hamilton. Some of the tentative dates are: October 23, Hobart at Clinton; October 9, Colgate at Hamilton; October 16, Rochester at Rochester; November 13, Union at Clinton.

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